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SUBJ: MRS. ROCKEFELLER'S VISIT TO MOSCOW

(A) STATE 242414; (B) USSS 329, 29 SEP 76; (C) STATE 242984

1. WE FILED DIPLOMATIC NOTE WITH COMPLETE FLIGHT DATA (REFS)
SEPT 30. FEDOSEYEV OF MFA, WHO TOOK THE NOTE, SAID A
REPLY WOULD BE FORTHCOMING BY MONDAY. AND HE HAD NO REASON
TO THINK IT WOULD BE OTHER THAN POSITIVE.

2. IF THERE WILL BE SECURITY AND/OR SERVICING REQUIREMENTS
FOR MRS. ROCKEFELLER'S PLEASE ADVISE US AS SOON AS POSSIBLE
SO WE AND CON GEN CAN MAKE THE PROPER ARRANGEMENTS.

3. WE HAVE ARRANGED SEPARATE PROGRAM CAN AND GUIDES FOR MRS.
LAYTON AND FOUR CREW MEMBERS, AS FOLLOWS:

-- OCT 10: AFTERNOON TOUR OF TRETYAKOV GALLERY. ADDITI-
IONAL POINTS CAN BE ARRANGED IF DESIRED AT THE TIME.EVENING PERFOR-
MANCE OF TOSCA AT BOLSHOI.

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--OCT 11: MORNING TOUR OF KREMLIN, INCLUDING

ARMORY. AFTERNOON NOVODEVICHIIY CONVENT AND CEMETERY,
AND ADDITIONAL SIGHTSEEING. EVENING CIRCUS.
--OCT 12: DAY TRIP TO ZAGORSK WITH GUIDE. EVENING
BALLET DON QUIXOTE AT PALACE OF CONGRESSES.
ALL MEALS EXPECT ZAGORSK LUNCH MAY BE TAKEN AT NATIONAL
HOTEL. (FYI EMBASSY SNACK BAR WILL BE CLOSED OCT 10-11
END FYI).

4. CONTROL OFFICER FOR ABOVE PORTION OF VISIT IS
FSO SANDRA GUST.

5. PER REF C, WE WILL APPROACH INTOURIST HERE TOMORROW
TO SEEK THEIR ASSISTANCE IN NUDGING INTOURIST LENINGRAD
TOWARD ACCEPTANCE OF OUR PAYMENT SCHEME. WILL ADVISE.
IF OUR EFFORTS SUCCESSFUL, WE WILL NEED PRECISE RUBLE
BILL FROM CONGEN IMMEDIATELY FOR TRANSMISSION FROM HERE
TO NEW YORK THROUGH AMEXCO CHANNELS.

6. INTOURIST MOSCOW HAS PROVIDED BILL TOTALLING
RUBLES 2312 RPT RUBLES 2312. FOR MOSCOW PORTION.
WE AND AMEXCO MOSCOW, HOWEVER, BELIEVE THAT ITEMIZATION
AND TOTAL ARE INCORRECT. WE WILL DISCUSS WITH INTOURIST
OCT 1 AND REPORT RESULTS IMMEDIATELY.
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